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FOR: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR INTERMEDIATE IMAGE FORMATION OF INFORMATION PROPAGATING AS WAVE MOTION PASSING THROUGH OPEN HOLE AND FOR IMAGE PICK-UP

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated March 19, 2009, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.